

Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services Connecticut Mental Health Center JOB OPPORTUNITY Clinical Social Worker CM # 75795

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Open To: State Employee/Public

Location: Connecticut Mental Health Center, West Haven Mental Health Clinic, 270 Center Street,

West Haven, CT 06516

Program/Unit: Young Adult Service
Salary: \$60,166.00 - \$81,307.00

Shift/Schedule/Hours: 1st Shift/Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday: 9:00 AM-5:00 PM (Includes 1 hour for lunch)/

Wednesday 11:00 AM-7:00 PM (Includes 1 hours for lunch)

Posting Date: 11/08/13 Closing Date: 11/14/13

Duties may include but not limited to: A Clinical Social Worker assigned to the Young Adult Service is responsible to provide clinical services to young adult clients in a manner consistent with the general mission of the Connecticut Mental Health Center. The Young Adult Service provides a comprehensive program of community-based treatment to clients 18 to 25 years of age with severe and persistent psychiatric and substance use problems. As a member of an interdisciplinary team, a Clinical Social Worker works under the supervision of the Program Director and Supervising Clinician for the Young Adult Service. A Clinical Social Worker also works collaboratively with other members of the treatment team and other community providers to ensure the implementation of comprehensive, developmentally oriented, individualized plans of care. The individual will deliver clinical services in an ambulatory setting, and the individual must be able to work independently in the community. Previous experience working with adolescent or young adult clients in a clinical setting is preferred. Specifically, a Clinical Social Worker for the Young Adult Service:

Completes comprehensive psychosocial assessments with assigned clients;

Works collaboratively with assigned clients and other providers to develop comprehensive, developmentally informed, individualized plans of care;

Provides crisis, individual, group, and family counseling to assigned clients;

Provides case management services;

Collaborates with an attending psychiatrist;

Works with clients and other providers to develop a network of social, recreational, clinical, and vocational-educational services that address specific treatment needs;

Delivers services in the community at the client's home, school, or place of work;

Monitors the effectiveness of treatment;

Documents service delivered in clinical records;

Completes clinical and administrative reports;

Participates in treatment team meetings;

Contributes to the design and implementation of new clinical programming;

Participates in state-wide or center-wide committees and advisory groups;

Complies with policies, procedures, and standards concerning service delivery to clients;

Performs related duties as specified by the Program Director for the Young Adult Service.

General Experience: Licensure as a clinical social worker in the State of Connecticut.

Special Experience: Incumbents in this class must possess and retain a license to practice clinical social work pursuant to Sec. 20-195 (m) through (r) of the Connecticut General Statue

Special Requirement: Must posses, retain, and carry valid Connecticut Drivers License. Travel in the community is required.

Eligibility Requirement: State employees currently holding the above title or those who have previously attained permanent status or candidates who possess the general and special experience and training may apply.

Note: Applicants will be selected in accordance with reemployment, SEBAC, transfer, promotion, collective bargaining unit contract language, merit employment lists and DMHAS affirmative action goals. Therefore, State employees will generally be considered before applicants from outside State service.

Application Instructions: DMHAS employees who are lateral transfer candidates (example: Clinical Social Worker applying to a Clinical Social Worker posting) must submit a completed DMHAS Lateral Transfer Form. Lateral Transfer Request Forms received without a position number will not be processed. DMHAS employees who are promotional/demotional candidates must submit the State of Connecticut Application for Examination and Employment (CT-HR-12). The position number must be noted at the bottom of Page One of the State of Connecticut Application (CT-HR-12). All other applicants must complete a State Employment Application for Examination and Employment (CT-HR-12). Resumes and Curriculum Vitae can be provided as supplemental information but will only be accepted if attached to a fully completed application.

PLEASE SEND APPLICATIONS TO:

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